Food Service Workshop

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FY 09 PHILIP A. CONNELLY WINNERS

- FSC, 397th EN BN, 416th ENCOM, Winner
- 298th Maintenance Company, DSC, Runner-up

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USARC 68M/92G FOOD SERVICE PERSONNEL

- Authorized: 3,932
- Assigned: 3,683, as of 23 Jan 10
- Approximately 2% from the total or 207,374 USAR Soldiers are 68M/92G cooks

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USAR CHALLANGES

- 65% of units authorized personnel and MTOE Equipment are **NOT** Cooking
- Equals a Loss of 2,393 Soldiers not performing MOS training each month
- Geographic dispersion of units
- Aging facilities
- Training distracters

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TRAINING DISTRACTERS

- Warrior Leader Task takes training time away from MOS training
- We have taken Containerized Kitchen (CK)’s and moved them to mobilizing units, or sent them for Warrior Exercises
- We are moving equipment back to those units as it becomes available from Depot Rebuild

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WHAT THE FOOD COMMUNITY CAN DO TO IMPROVE READINESS

- Complete NCO Training
- Food Safety Training
- Train on what is available to keep skills proficient
- Complete Transition to Army Reserve-Army Food Management Information System (AR-AFMIS) by Apr 2010
- Work on just one unit per month to begin cooking
- Reduce dollars spent on catered meals and improve food service personnel and equipment readiness